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SUBJECT: DISCUSSIONS ON TERRORISM

REF: STATE 220239

1. USING THE ANTI-HIJACKING DEMARCHE AS A
VEHICLE FOR A LOW-KEY DISCUSSION OF IRAQI SUPPORT
FOR INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM IS NOT ACCEPTABLE TO ALL
OF THE BONN SEVEN. THE UK AND FRG REPRESENTATIVES
WERE PREPARED TO RAISE THE SUBJECT WITHOUT FURTHER
INSTRUCTIONS FROM THEIR GOVERNMENTS, THE JAPANESE
AND CANADIANS FELT THEY WOULD PROBABLY NEED SPECIFIC
AUTHORIZATIONS, AND THE FRENCH AND ITALIANS (WHO
DO NOT PLAN TO BE PRESENT) WERE OPPOSED. SINCE
EVERYONE AGREED THAT UNANIMITY WAS REQUIRED, THIS ENDED
THE EXERCISE.

2. AS IT WORKED OUT, THERE MIGHT HAVE BEEN TIME TO
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COORDINATE A HIGHER-LEVEL EFFORT. THE JAPANESE
AMBASSADOR (THE SPOKESMAN) WAS ORIGINALLY TOLD THE
APPOINTMENT WOULD BE GRANTED ON AUGUST 31, BUT THE
TENTATIVE DATE LATER SLIPPED TO SEPT. 2. WHEN NO
APPOINTMENT WAS FIXED FOR THAT DAY, IT WAS
OBVIOUS THAT ID AL-FITR WOULD INTERVENE, AND THAT THE
EARLIEST POSSIBLE OPPORTUNITY WOULD BE SOMEWHERE

AFTER SEPTEMBER 5.

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